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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No.: 09/758,034) Group Art Unit: 2641
Filed: January 9, 2001) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
For: System and Method for Utterance Verification of Chinese Long and Short Keywords	Attorney Docket No.: NSO-001.01

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Response in reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated April 5, 2001.

The Notice to File Missing Parts indicates that the following items are required to complete the application: (1) an executed declaration and (2) the application filing fee, the claim fees for three extra independent claims, and the surcharge for late filing of executed declaration.

With respect to item (1), Applicants herewith provide an executed declaration of inventor Kwok Leung Lam and an accompanying Petition under 37 C.F.R § 1.47(a).

With respect to item (2), Applicants claim small entity status and herewith provide a check to cover the \$385.00 filing fee, the \$129.00 claim fees, and the \$65.00 surcharge.

Applicants also provide a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

Applicants' Attorney considers this Response to be fully response to the Notice to File Missing Parts. Should additional fees be required for consideration of the Response, Applicants' Attorney requests that the additional fees be charged to **Deposit Account No. 06-1448**, **Reference NSO-001.01**. Further, Applicants' Attorney hereby authorizes the Commissioner to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 06-1448**, **Reference NSO-001.01**.

Should questions arise concerning this Response, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted, FOLEY HOAG LLP

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- 8. Exhibit A (2 pgs); Exhibit B (2 pgs); Exhibit C (1 pg);
- 9. A Change of Address and Docket No. with Certificate of Express Mailing (2 pgs);
- 10. A copy of an executed Power of Attorney (1 page);
- 11. A check in the amount of \$1,374.00 (fees); and

12. A return postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$240.
 - \$240 for 3 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1080.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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